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ON LONG-RANGE STRATEGY

1. SECOND SESSION AD HOC COMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE
STRATEGY FOR UNIDO (AHC-II) CONCLUDED MIDNIGHT DEC 17
WITH APPROVAL BY CONSENSUS OF "PROVISIONAL CONCLUSIONS"
ON 1) POLICIES AND STRATEGY, 2) INFORMATION CLEARING
HOUSE, 3) OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND 4) PROMOTIONAL
ACTIVITIES (RECOMMENDATIONS I-IV OF HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS).
THESE FOUR TOPICS RECEIVED DETAILED EXAMINATION IN
PLENARY AND CONTACT GROUP IN ADDITION CONSIDERATION
GIVEN THEM DURING THE FIRST SESSION. WHILE THESE
CONCLUSIONS WILL RECEIVE FINAL CONSIDERATION AT NEXT
SESSION, THEY GENERALLY ACCEPTABLE TO US IN PRESENT
FORM AND CONTAIN MUCH LANGUAGE TAKEN FROM OUR DISCUSSION
PAPER.

2. UNIDO'S COORDINATING ROLE (RECOMMENDATION V OF HIGH-
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LEVEL EXPERTS) AND ORGANIZATIONAL AND FINANCIAL
IMPLICATIONS (RECOMMENDATION VI OF HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS)

WERE OPENED FOR DISCUSSION FOR FIRST TIME, BUT NONE CHOSE SPEAK TO LATTER TOPIC. RAPPORTEUR PRODUCED ON OWN AUTHORITY TENTATIVE EMERGING CONCLUSIONS ON RECOMMENDATION V, WHICH WILL SERVE AS BASIS FOR DISCUSSION AND DECISION AT NEXT SESSION. RECOMMENDATION VI AND PARA 3(B) OF IDB RES. 38 (VII) (FURTHER FORMULATION OF A LONG RANGE STRATEGY) WERE LEFT FOR FINAL SESSION, SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 4-9, 1974, WITH POSSIBILITY TO EXTEND SESSION TO MARCH 11 IF NECESSARY. ONLY ONE DEL (BRAZIL) CHOSE ADDRESS PARA 3(B) EXPLICITLY, RESERVING ITS POSITION ON ENTIRE PRODUCT AHC-II PENDING FURTHER EXAMINATION OF FORMULATION OF LONG-RANGE STRATEGY AT AHC-III. (USDEL, IN CONSONANCE WITH US DISCUSSION PAPER SUBMITTED FOR AHC, INTRODUCED LONG-RANGE STRATEGY CONSIDERATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH EXAMINATION OF HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS RECOMMENDATIONS UNDER PARA 3(A) OF RES. 38.)

3. SECRETARIAT DOCUMENT AND US DISCUSSION PAPER PROVIDED PRINCIPAL FRAMEWORK FOR DEBATE, WITH MOST GROUP B COUNTRIES AND, WITH SOME FREQUENCY, USSR CITING AGREEMENT WITH SPECIFIC PORTIONS OUR PAPER. DEBATES WERE MARKED BY GREAT DEGREE OF REASONABLENESS ON PART OF LDC'S, DUE IN LARGE MEASURE TO MASTERFUL PERFORMANCE OF AHC CHAIRMAN (AMB PATHMARUJAH-SRI LANKA), WHO WHEN SPEAKING IN CAPACITY AS SRI LANKAN REP WAS A PRINCIPAL SPOKESMAN FOR LDC'S. CHAIRMAN'S ROLE WAS PARTICULARLY CRUCIAL IN KEEPING DISCUSSIONS MOVING IN DRAFTING GROUP WHICH MET OVER WEEKEND AND MONDAY WHEREIN "PROVISIONAL CONCLUSIONS" NEGOTIATED AND DECIDED.

4. OTHER UN AGENCIES REPRESENTED AT SESSION WERE UNDP (SIDNEY DELL), ILO (BOLIN). FAO (SHAH). AND UNCTAD (ABBAS). THEY ALL MADE VALUABLE INPUTS INTO DISCUSSIONS AND RESPONDED FRANKLY TO NUMEROUS QUESTIONS. DELL APPEARED INTERPRET SOME QUESTIONS ADDRESSED TO HIM AS AT LEAST IMPLICITLY CRITICAL OF SOME ASPECTS OF UNDP PROCEDURES, BUT RESPONDED OBJECTIVELY AND EMPHASIZED THAT UNDP LOOKED FORWARD TO GREATER COOPERATION WITH UNCLASSIFIED UNCLASSIFIED

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UNIDO, PARTICULARLY AS CONCERNED UNIDO INPUTS INTO COUNTRY PLANNING PROCESS.

5. WHILE AHC-II TREATMENT OF PROVISIONAL CONCLUSIONS ON REC. I-IV WAS NECESSARILY GENERAL IN ORDER ACHIEVE CONSENSUS, DISTINCT MESSAGES EMERGED. THUS, REC I PROVIDES FOR US-SOUGHT LINK BETWEEN STUDIES AND RESEARCH AND COUNTRY PROGRAMMING. CONCLUSIONS RE REC II SUCCEED FOR MOST PART IN SETTING ASIDE FOR THE PRESENT ELABORATION OF, AND FURTHER COMMITMENT TO, EXPANDED INFORMATION

CLEARING HOUSE; WILL BE NECESSARY, HOWEVER, AT NEXT SESSION OF AHC TO MODIFY PARA 5 UNDER THIS HEADING. THIS PARA AS IT STANDS IMPLIES UNDESIRABLY BROAD ROLE FOR UNIDO IN EQUIPMENT ADVISORY SERVICES. PROVISIONAL CONCLUSIONS UNDER REC III PROVIDE BASIS FOR GREATER CONCENTRATION UNIDO'S RESOURCES IN YET UNDEFINED AREAS AND EMPHASIZES RELATIVE IMPORTANCE OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY. UNDER REC IV, WE SUCCEEDED IN INTRODUCING INDICATION QUESTIONABLE EFFECTIVENESS OF UNIDO INVESTMENT PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITY. RAPPORTEUR'S PRELIMINARY DRAFT ON "EMERGING GENERAL CONCLUSIONS" RE UNIDO'S ROLE AS UN SYSTEM COORDINATOR OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PRESENTLY TOO GENERAL AND COMPREHENSIVE TO BE MEANINGFUL AND WILL REQUIRE SHARPENING AT AHC-III.

6. AS NOTED PARA 2 ABOVE, REC VI NOT EXAMINED AT THIS SESSION. ON ASSUMPTION USG WILL PURSUE ORGANIZATIONAL REFORM DESCRIBED IN U.S. PAPER FOR AHC-II, WILL BE USEFUL TO PULL TOGETHER FURTHER DATA AND ARGUMENTATION TO SUPPORT AT AHC-III PROPOSAL FOR CREATION OF NEW DIVISION.

7. RE DOCUMENTATION FOR AHC-IIIN CHAIRMAN RECEIVED COMMITTEE APPROVAL FOR PROCEDURE WHEREBY PROPOSALS FOR NEW DOCUMENTATION BE ADDRESSED TO HIM (AS PRIOR AHC-II) AND HE WILL CONSULT WITH SECRETARIAT. NO SPECIFIC DEADLINE SET FOR THIS PURPOSE.

8. THIRD AND PRESUMABLY FINAL SESSION OF AHC SET FOR MARCH 4-9 (WITH ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISION FOR TWO DAY EXTENSION) AT VIENNA. STIBRAVY

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